

**22921. Cashew nuts.** (F. D. C. No. 38663. S. No. 29-438 M.)

QUANTITY: 5 cases, 2 25-lb. tins each, at New York, N. Y.

SHIPPED: 11-18-53, from India.

LIBELED: 11-7-55, S. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 12-6-55. Default—destruction.

**22922. Shelled peanuts.** (F. D. C. No. 38662. S. Nos. 25-783 M, 26-554 M.)

QUANTITY: 23 120-lb. bags and 114 100-lb. bags at St. Paul, Minn., in possession of Central Warehouse Co.

SHIPPED: 4-18-55 and 6-3-55, from Dallas, Tex., and Chicago, Ill.

LIBELED: 10-29-55, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent urine; and 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 11-29-55. Consent—claimed by Fisher Nut Co., St. Paul, Minn. Segregated, 1,000 lbs. destroyed.

**22923. Shelled peanuts.** (F. D. C. No. 38783. S. No. 36-229 M.)

QUANTITY: 7 115-lb. bags at Huntington, Ind., in possession of Phyleen Candy Co.

SHIPPED: 8-30-55, from Lexington, Ky.

LIBELED: 12-5-55, N. Dist. Ind.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent hairs; and 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 2-15-56. Default—consumption by animals.

**22924. Shelled pecans.** (F. D. C. No. 38793. S. No. 21-303 M.)

QUANTITY: 4 30-lb. boxes at Kansas City, Kans.

SHIPPED: 12-3-55, from Wewoka, Okla.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article contained worms and rodent excreta.

LIBELED: 12-15-55, Dist. Kans.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained filthy substance while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 1-31-56. Default—destruction.

**22925. Shelled walnuts.** (F. D. C. No. 38290. S. No. 25-760 M.)

QUANTITY: 24 25-lb. boxes at St. Paul, Minn.

SHIPPED: 12-8-54, from Modesto, Calif.

LIBELED: 8-16-55, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insect-damaged walnuts and moldy walnuts while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 9-9-55. Consent—claimed by Fisher Nut Co., St. Paul, Minn. Segregated, 117 lbs. destroyed.

**22926. Shelled black walnuts.** (F. D. C. No. 38781. S. No. 40-337 M.)

QUANTITY: 13 30-lb. boxes at Davenport, Iowa.

SHIPPED: 8-18-55, from Kansas City, Mo.

**LIBELED:** 11-29-55, S. Dist. Iowa.

**CHARGE:** 402 (a) (3)—contained insects while held for sale.

**DISPOSITION:** 1-19-56. Default—consumption by animals.

**22927. Shelled black walnuts.** (F. D. C. No. 38653. S. No. 1-807 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 2 35-lb. cases at Norfolk, Va.

**SHIPPED:** 9-19-55, from Nashville, Tenn.

**LIBELED:** 10-27-55, E. Dist. Va.

**CHARGE:** 402 (a) (3)—contained insects while held for sale.

**DISPOSITION:** 12-2-55. Default—destruction.

**22928. Unshelled mixed nuts.** (F. D. C. No. 38785. S. No. 25-904 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 27 50-lb. bags at Chariton, Iowa, in possession of Chariton Wholesale Grocery.

**SHIPPED:** 10-17-55, from Chicago, Ill.

**LIBELED:** 12-2-55, S. Dist. Iowa.

**CHARGE:** 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent-gnawed nuts; and 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

**DISPOSITION:** 1-13-56. Default—destruction.

**22929. Peanut butter.** (F. D. C. No. 37856. S. No. 4-017 M.)

**INDICTMENT RETURNED:** 10-14-55, S. Dist. Ohio, against Union Food Products Co., a corporation, Greenville, Ohio, and Edward F. Pilliod, president.

**SHIPPED:** 11-8-54, from Ohio to Pennsylvania.

**LABEL IN PART:** "Ribbon Brand Peanut Butter Salt Added Contents 2 lb. Packed for New Castle Grocery Co. New Castle, Pa."

**CHARGE:** 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent excreta fragments, rodent hair fragments, and insect fragments; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

**PLEA:** Guilty.

**DISPOSITION:** 1-12-56. Corporation fined \$1,000; individual fined \$500.

## SPICES, FLAVORS, AND SEASONING MATERIALS

**22930. Mustard bran and shelled peanuts (2 seizure actions).** (F. D. C. Nos. 38240, 38252. S. Nos. 22-451/2 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 182 100-lb. bags of mustard bran and 177 125-lb. bags of peanuts at Chicago, Ill., in possession of Nash-Underwood, Inc.

**SHIPPED:** Between 7-6-54 and 6-14-55, from Blakely, Ga., and New York, N. Y.

**LIBELED:** 7-29-55 and 8-2-55, N. Dist. Ill.

**CHARGE:** 402 (a) (3)—the peanuts contained insects, and the mustard bran contained rodent excreta and rodent hairs; and 402 (a) (4)—the mustard bran was held under insanitary conditions.

**DISPOSITION:** 8-12-55. The libel actions having been consolidated and Nash-Underwood, Inc., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment was entered condemning the articles and ordering their release under bond to be brought into compliance with the law. Segregated, 3,775 lbs. of shelled peanuts and 1,700 lbs. of mustard bran destroyed.